

REMARKS

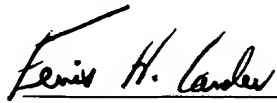
No new matter has been added by the amendments to the specification. The amendments are made only to add sequence identification numbers to those sequences disclosed in the specification as originally filed in order to place the instant application in compliance with the Sequence Rules (37 CFR 1.821-1.825).

The content of the Sequence Listing recorded in computer-readable form is identical to the content of the Sequence Listing in written form (paper). All of the sequences designated SEQ ID NOS by the Sequence Listing were disclosed in the specification as originally filed (at page 39 and Figure 6), thus no new matter is added to the specification by the Sequence Listing filed herewith.

CONCLUSION

In light of the foregoing remarks and amendments to the specification, it is respectfully submitted that the instant application is now in compliance with the Sequence Rules (37 CFR 1.821-1.825). Thus, Applicants now courteously request an examination on the merits.

Respectfully submitted,



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